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## DAILY BRIEFING

Conference

Republican

Thursday, June 10, 1999 – 7:40 AM

## Message of the Day

Keeping the budget balanced, protecting Social Security and providing tax relief for working Americans.

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- number of days since House of Representatives passed lock box (416-12).

Events	TODAY - 6/10	Tomorrow – 6/11	Coming up	Yesterday's Events	Lead Stories
House GOP	* On floor: Defense, Legislative Branch;  * Hastert, Watts, Armey, DeLay, others to meet with high-tech CEOs;  * Archer hearing on Social Security;  * Cox to testify before Gramm hearing on export controls;  * Talent hearing on employee health insurance;  * Bliley markup of financial competition.	* On floor: Legislative Branch (tent.);  * Boehner subcommittee on health care, uninsured;  * Archer, Linder, Sanford to attend taxpayers conference;  * Saxton to attend environment celebration;  * Gekas subcommittee on independent counsel law;  * Davis of Va. to attend business development conference.	* 6/14 <b>Nethercutt</b> briefing on pharmaceutical drug prices; * 6/15 <b>Shaw</b> to attend Social Security discussion; * 6/15 <b>Weldon</b> of Pa. to attend terrorism discussion; * 6/15 <b>Castle</b> subcommittee on drug education; * 6/15 <b>Leach</b> hearing on debtor nations; * 6/16 <b>Archer</b> hearing on tax burdens.	* On floor: Defense;  * Goodling, Talent, others news conference on GOP health care plan;  * Kasich announced Social Security plan;  * Archer hearing on Social Security with Grassley, Gregg;  * Boehner, Goodling news conference on patient protection;  * Bilirakis subcommittee on drug addiction;  * Talent hearing on tax relief.	ABC World News (Wed.)  1. NATO, Serbs reach deal  2. Clinton, Dems say GOP gun control written by NRA  3. Clinton names gay ambassador, GOP to halt nominees  NBC Nightly News (Wed.)  1. Signed agreement maps out Kosovo peace  2. Clinton accuses GOP of pushing watered down gun control  3. George Bush celebrates birthday with parachute jump
Senate GOP	* On floor: Vote on Y2K, State (tent.);  * Gramm hearing on export controls with Cox;  * Stevens markup of Commerce, Justice, State, Judiciary, Military Construction, Legislative Branch;  * McCain hearing on online business encryption;  * Thompson hearing on Energy export controls.	* On floor: State (tent.);  * Abraham to attend Arab- American anti-discrimination convention;  * Chafee news conference to announce tiger protection campaign.	* 6/14 Gregg to attend corporate benefits legislation forum; * 6/14 Lott to attend NAM Y2K, tax, Social Security briefing; * 6/15 Craig subcommittee on mine operations; * 6/15 Jeffords markup of medical records, Pell grants; * 6/16 Campbell hearing on water, minerals.	* On floor: Defense;  * Ashcroft news conference on lock box;  * McCain hearing on auto insurance;  * Roth hearing on Medicare choice;  * Thompson hearing on national security, Lee investigation;  * Shelby hearing on Energy reorganization.	CBS Evening News (Wed.)  1. NATO, Yugoslav generals sign agreement  2. Battle brewing as GOP wants to cut off Kosovo funding  3. Research finds significant danger in cigar smoking  Fox Special Report (Wed.)  1. Peace accord signed  2. Serbs say staying in Kosovo not safe with troop pull out  3. Richardson told Senate he should
Govs	* Almond to speak at lieutenant governors conference.	* Keating, Schafer, Kempthorne, Racicot, Leavitt RGA forum.	* 6/12 Thompson to speak at GOP convention.	* Pataki introduced school safety legislation.	remain in control  Washington Post (Thurs.)
President	* To attend Black Caucus fundraiser, to host N.Y. Yankees.	* To address conference of mayors in L.A. via satellite on new markets.	* Next week: to announce Medicare prescription plan.	* Attended Justice civil rights roundtable discussion.	<ol> <li>Kosovo pullout set to start today</li> <li>Hastert's gun control panned</li> <li>Upstate on Clinton: Why N.Y.?</li> </ol>
1 <sup>st</sup> Lady	* To N.Y.C. for grant awards; * To N.J. for Holt fundraiser.	* To St. Louis for Gephardt fundraiser.	* 6/15-22 To join president on trip to G8 summit in Germany.	* Discussed economic development; * To N.Y. for Hinchey fundraiser.	Washington Times (Thurs.) 1. Serbs accept plan, war may end
<b>VP</b> Gore	Schedule not available to the public.	* To address Emily's List breakfast in D.C., to R.I. for fundraisers.	* 6/14 To New Orleans to address conference of mayors.	Schedule not available to the public.	2. Lott OKs holds on all nominees 3. U.S. taxpayers faced with
Cabinet	* Cuomo to announce homebuyers initiative; * Rubin news conference on G-7.	* Glickman to participate in homeowners week event in Fla; * Shalala to address U. of Wis.	* 6/15 Riley to speak at National Press Club luncheon.	* Reno addressed police event; * Rubin spoke at Bretton Woods meeting.	mounting Kosovo war costs  New York Times (Thurs.)  1. Serb military accepts accord
Dems	* Graham news conference on Medicare; * McCarthy of N.Y., Blagojevich news conference on handgun control; * Baldwin, Maloney of N.Y. to speak to Planned Parenthood.	* Gephardt to host first lady at St. Louis fundraiser; * Rockefeller conference on job- based health care; * Bonior to speak at Arab-American conference.	* 6/14 Cardin to join Gregg at corporate benefits legislation forum; * 6/15 Kucinich to join <b>Shaw</b> at Social Security discussion.	* Senate Caucus meeting with Berger on energy labs; * Capps briefing with APA on depression; * Rahall joined <b>Petri</b> for recreation coalition event.	Serbs: frustration, celebration     In states' anti-drug fight, renewal for treatment     USA TODAY (Thurs.)     Serbs sign peace pact     Are gun laws enforced?     Internet: \$301 billion last year